



Attorney Docket No. SR565-OXID

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of: Schaffner, I. Richard  
Serial No.: 10/828,642  
Filed: April 21, 2004  
For: Oxidant-Scavenging Compound  
For Anaerobic Treatment

Group Art Unit: 1651  
Examiner: Ford, Allison  
Docket No.: SR565-OXID  
Paper No.: August 5, 2005

To: Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8a)

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

| X | The shortened statutory period for response to this Office Action **has**/not expired.  
Applicant requests a one ( 1 ) month extension of time to respond. The fee for such one  
( 1 ) month extension is included herewith. With the one ( 1 ) month extension the response  
is due on or before September 4, 2005.

Responsive to the Official Action of May 4, 2005, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows.

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.